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1230PM - dressed impeccably in my dark suit, & departed for my interview at 1PM with J. Daniel Moss, Principal at Mountain View High School. There was a small delay at the turn off road to West Clifford (due to road surfacing) and I had to wait about 5 minutes & then follow a car with a sign on it which read - "Lead Car. Follow Me" or something to that effect. No road in question in the one at the intersection/turn off to W. Clifford (road leads by the Elkhdale Academy). Once on 106, the sailing was smooth and I arrived at Mountain View ten minutes early, which is excellent. At about 1:10PM the principal was able to see me and I must say he was very nice. He was ever so slightly nervous and that was amusing. I was supremely in control of myself and the situation and played my cards very very slowly and very very consciously. No net effect on Moss was dogging. He reported that he went to George Washington University as well (in 1974), working on a Ph.D., but he did not complete the degree requirements. Moss reported that: (1) there are no discipline problems at Mountain View, (2) that my name would be proposed/recommended to the school board at the October 8 meeting, (3) that the per diem rate at MV is \$35.00, (4) that they have very few men substitutes on the list. He asked me if I could do other subjects beside French and I said yes - "English, Social studies, any of the humanities." He mentioned physical education, and said that they frequently had difficulty getting a male to sub in that field. I made no comment, although I suppose I could handle physical education: put on a gym suit and jog with the students or, if they have a pool, make them swim. On verro. I have a very good feeling about the school. Moss reported that they have about one substitute teacher per day at Mountain View. I am delighted that the school is only about 20 minutes away: 12 miles according to my calculations.

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about 4PM I decided to make bread & that is now raising in the galley; 430 a.m., JVB telephoned and reminded me of the Kiefer meeting at 6:30 P.M. - I will not attend. RGT and Lofter can do that meeting - it will be about O & W engine and they do not need me for that. JVB would have attended if I did, I'm sure and since I am not going to attend, he will not attend. He asked me if I was going to be in Ce son and I said yes. He reported that when his mother returned from work at 5PM he would be able to get his motorcycle out of the garage (JVB does not have a key at the moment; his key disappeared during his Fort Benning stay), and that he would come out and show me his mother's family history.

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OBITUARIES

This is
Edith
Bardner's
dear
friend.

ACKER, Daniel L., 11 Chestnut Ave., died August 28 in Carbondale Nursing Home after a brief illness. His wife, Viola Thomas Acker died December 4. Born in West Damascus, son of the late Daniel L. and Evan Conklin Acker, he was employed as a supervisor for Worthington Pump, Harrison, N.J., before retirement. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church and the Belmont Neighborhood Association. Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Virginia Winkler, Buffalo, N.Y.; nieces and nephews. The funeral was held at the Oliver R. Shifler Funeral Home, 94 N. Main St. Memorial contributions may be made to First United Methodist Church, Carbondale.

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Weekly fire and police log

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S. Robert Powell, president of the Carbondale Historical Society, told police that eight flower boxes belonging to the Historical Society had been vandalized. The boxes, which had been placed throughout the city, had the flowers pulled from them. Damage is estimated at \$100. Patrolman William Coleman investigated.

Vandalism done by

Aaron Moran, who is the son of Marion Healey by her first marriage. She married, second, Ricky Griffiths, son of Mr. & Mrs. Emerson Griffiths.